

**TALK REGARDING
PRIMARY BILL**

The Senate Will Have To
Bear the Brunt of
Trouble if Bill
Is Defeated.

IS VERY RADICAL

Many Believe That the Gov-
ernor Himself Does Not
Want Such Meas-
ure Passed.

(Special to The Gazette.)
Madison, March 14.—Latest reports
concerning the primary election bill
are that the conservative senators
will take up and pass the bill passed
by the assembly, and that this may
be done even before the date fixed
for action on the bill, March 26.
These reports are denied by some of
the senate majority, but their truth
is quietly admitted by others.

The Merton Bill
They will not accept the Merton
bill, recommended for passage by
the majority of the senate committee
on privileges and elections, as they
say they will not stand for a demo-
cratic primary measure. But the
more conservative senators realize
that they are "up against it." They
would undoubtedly be able to modify
the Merton bill, but there is a chance
that the assembly would concur in
such amendment. This would throw
the bill back to the senate.

Senate's Position
There are three or four senators
who will vote for a material amend-
ment, but who, in view of their home
instructions and campaign state-
ments, could not vote against any
reasonable primary bill; and while
the conservatives would undoubtedly
be able to delay the bill for a month
or two, they realize that they could
not stop it in the end. Therefore
some of them, and the number is
growing, believe the wise policy is
to pass the bill as it came from the
assembly.

Look For Veto
They say they do not believe the
governor really wants so radical a
bill, and will be disappointed if they
pass it. This belief alone is suf-
ficient to induce some of the senators
to vote for almost any kind of a bill,
and there is good ground for belief
that this will be the course adopted.

**ROYALTY DIES IN
A PEASANT'S HUT**

Princess of Saxe-Weimar is Prostrated
While Driving, and Dies
Quickly.

(Special by Scripps-McLure.)
Berlin, March 14.—Princess Bern-
ard of Saxe-Weimar died suddenly
yesterday near Hanover in a peasant's
cottage. She was driving and
was taken ill and carried into the
cottage where she died shortly after-
wards. Her husband gave up his
title and family to marry her two
years ago.

**OLDER REPUBLIC
SETS EXAMPLE**

The Cuban Congress Wants To Pass
Upon the Reciprocity
Treaty Also.

(Special by Scripps-McLure.)
Havana, March 14.—The lower
house of congress has followed the
senate of the United States' exam-
ple and will ask for a ratification of
the reciprocity treaty between that
country and the United States before
it becomes a law.

**PANAMA CANAL LAWYER
TO GET \$2,000,000 FEE**

William N. Cromwell Will Thus Se-
cure Largest Payment of the
Kind on Record.

New York, March 14.—William N.
Cromwell, the attorney for the Pan-
ama Canal company, will receive \$2,
000,000 if the treaty is passed by the
United States senate. This is the
opinion of the New York lawyers, and
finds general credence. Mr. Crom-
well's arrangement with the canal
company is reported to be on the
basis of 5 per cent of the amount re-
alized for the sale. With smaller fig-
ures this amount would not seem ex-
orbitant, but the Panama company ex-
pects to receive \$10,000,000 and Crom-
well's fee is therefore enormous.

Heart Falls While Bathing.
San Diego, Cal., March 14.—O. C.
Boyle was drowned while bathing at
Coronado. The coroner's jury found
that he was attacked with heart fail-
ure. He was a retired lumberman of
Allegheny, Pa.

Made Crazy by Bug Bite.
St. Joseph, Mich., March 14.—Oscar
Nowak, a young Polish farmer liv-
ing east of Mendon, who was bitten
by a blue bug, has become a raving maniac
and is being kept in a room at the
local hospital.

**A. A. AMES IS ANXIOUS
TO MAKE THE FUR FLY**

Ex-Mayor of Minneapolis Lays His
Troubles to the Pine Land Ring
of Minnesota.

Manchester, N. H., March 14.—As
the time draws near for the departure
of Dr. Adelbert A. Ames, ex-mayor of
Minneapolis, for his home in charge of
Sheriff Dreyer he grows anxious and
eager for departure. He said that he
felt much better and livelier than
usual. He declared that when he re-
turned to Minneapolis the "fur would
fly." He said it might be his fur, but
he didn't believe it would be. Dr.
Ames attributed his downfall to the
"pine land ring of Minnesota" and de-
clared that "the great majority of the
millionaires of the state made their
piles robbing the government."

Dr. Ames said he would press for
trial when he returned to Minnesota
and felt sure of acquittal. Continu-
ing, Dr. Ames said: "I once refused
a bribe of \$87,000 for the annulment
of a contract which I made in behalf
of the city. Would I be likely after
that to be caught in such small busi-
ness as that mentioned in the indict-
ment against me?"

**SPOONER CLOSES
DEBATE ON CANAL**

Senate Steering Committee Decides
Upon a Program for Tues-
day's Vote.

(Special by Scripps-McLure.)
Washington, March 14.—The Repub-
lican steering committee has decided
that Senator Spooner shall be the
closing speaker on the republican side
favoring the passage of the Panama
canal treaty on Tuesday next. This is
the plan now although the exact date
has not yet been set. Senator Morgan
still objects to the passage of the
bill and has prepared several volent
attacks which he insists he will pre-
sent when the bill comes up for final
discussion. At the time the speeches
are delivered the official reporters
are to be sworn to secrecy.

MOTION DENIED

Millionaire Frank Andrews Must Stay
In Prison

(Special by Scripps-McLure.)
Detroit, Mich., March 14.—The mo-
tion of Millionaire Frank Andrews,
convicted of wrecking the City Sav-
ings bank, for a new trial, was denied
this morning. Andrews is still in
state prison.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRE

Secretary Shaw has decided to em-
ploy no more women immigration in-
spectors.

Prof. Van Hise of the University of
Wisconsin may be elected to the presi-
dency by the republicans.

United States Ambassador McCormick
gave a formal reception to the diplo-
matic corps and Russian official
society at St. Petersburg.

Bishop Edward Dunne of Dallas,
Texas, was received in private audi-
ence by the pope and was much im-
pressed by the pontiff's vitality.

Eugene Marshall, a negro student
at the University of Michigan, won
the debate to select an orator to re-
present Ann Arbor in the Northern
League.

Frank O. Lowden spoke at
concert at the Chicago audi-
tory and urged friends of the Chi-
cago orchestra to send in endowment plea-
at once.

Mrs. Kit Bray of Toledo, chief wit-
ness in the Anna Snyder murder case,
became violently insane as a result
of brooding over her knowledge of
the crime.

One hundred and seventy-six Chi-
cago business men joined the Stewart
campaign committee and a Stock Ex-
change club with sixty members was
also organized.

Democratic primaries are being
held in Chicago today, and not con-
tests are on in the 21st and 29th wards
where heavy details of policemen are
stationed to prevent trouble.

The Caribbean squadron, under the
command of Admiral Coghlan, has
been ordered to proceed to the coast
of Honduras, where the revolution is
assuming alarming proportions.

John I. Sablin, president of the
Chicago Telephone company, and of
the Union Telephone company, an-
nounced to the officials of those com-
panies that he desires to leave Chicago
and return to San Francisco. He will
remain until his successor is appoint-
ed.

To Submit Liquor Question.
Concord, N. H., March 14.—In the
house of representatives the commit-
tee on liquor laws reported a bill
for the regulation of the traffic in
intoxicating liquors. The state has
been under prohibition law forty
years. The new measures provide
for license with local option.

Gould Physician In Hospital
New York, March 14.—Suffering
from blood poisoning as a result of
scratching his thumb while dressing
a wound, Dr. Paul T. Kimball, George
Gould's family physician, has been
brought from Lakewood to a New York
hospital.

Benefit for Actors' Home.
New York, March 14.—Every inch
of space was occupied at the matinee
performance at the Metropolitan opera
house for the benefit of the Actors'
Home. Nearly \$5,000 was secured.

**MISSISSIPPI IS
COMING UP FAST**

Boats Are Being Used
in Streets of Memphis,
and Many Districts
Are Flooded.

GUARDING LEVEES

Armed Men Are Now on the
Watch, for Two Hun-
dred and Forty
Miles Up.

(Special by Scripps-McLure.)
Memphis, March 14.—The Missis-
sippi is rising more rapidly than at
any time before the flood became
imminent. A number of streets in
the northern part of the city are now
under water and boats are being used.

Refugees Starving
The city is fast becoming filled
with refugees who are starving when
picked up. The situation here is
fast becoming critical and a shot
gun patrol has been called out for
service up the river.

Long Distance
The shores are now patrolled by
armed guards for two hundred and
forty miles north of the Louisiana le-
vee owing to the fact that farmers
have threatened to cut the levees to
relieve the situation.

**QUARRELED OVER
SPOILS DIVISION**

Balkan States Could Not Agree on
the Partition of Turkey.

(Special by Scripps-McLure.)
Vienna, March 14.—It will be a
few days that Serbia made a
proposal to the other Balkan coun-
tries to make a combined attack upon
Turkey and divide the Balkan ter-
ritory between them but they were
unable to arrive at a division.

**HONDURAS ARMY
GIVES UP FIGHT**

American Consul Has Fled to the
Mountains from the Insur-
gents.

(Special by Scripps-McLure.)
New Orleans, March 14.—Word has
been received from Honduras that
the government forces have been de-
feated and that the president and
the American consul, Windt, have
been forced to flee into the mountains
to avoid death.

**WILLIAM LOST
HIS LONG FIGHT**

Berlin Is Not Compelled to Con-
tribute Toward Building the
Churches.

(Special by Scripps-McLure.)
Berlin, March 14.—By a recent de-
cision of the courts the emperor has
refused to pay for the church.
The case has been pending in
court since 1897 for settlement.

**JUDGE W. R. DAY
IMPROVES SLOWLY**

If No Complications Arise It Is Now
Thought He Will Re-
cover.

(Special by Scripps-McLure.)
Washington, March 14.—Judge W.
R. Day is rapidly improving and the
physicians in charge of his case say
that unless unforeseen complications
arise he will be sure to recover from
his present illness.

GORMAN'S SON IS AMBITIOUS

Arthur Pue, Jr., Wants a Seat in Mary-
land Senate.

Baltimore, Md., March 14.—Arthur
Pue Gorman, Jr., cherishes political
ambitions and in so doing has clashed
with his father, the United States
senator. The young man, who is a
lawyer practicing in this city, has
been asked by his friends to be a can-
didate this year for the state senate
from Howard county, where he re-
sides with his father. He is anxious
to accept the invitation, but the elder
Gorman disapproves of the plan and
has told his son that one Senator
Gorman is enough.

MASON DECLARES AMBITIONS

Comes to Chicago to "Do Law, Politics
and Man Named Yates."

Purlington, Ia., March 14.—Ex-Con-
gressman William E. Mason stopped
a few hours in Purlington. When
asked what his future plans were he
said: "I am going back to Chicago
to do a little law, a little politics and
a man named Yates." He predicts
that Judge Parker will receive the
Democratic nomination for president.

**MAY NOT CALL
EXTRA SESSION**

Senators Said to Have Reached an Un-
derstanding on Pending
Treaties.

Washington, March 14.—A tentative
agreement has been reached to vote
upon the two treaties which the Sen-
ate was called in extra session to
consider, chances of an extra session
are lessening and the senators are slip-
ping away and the Republican leaders
are fearing that they will have as
much trouble during the next week to
keep a quorum present as they have
experienced in ending the filibuster.

To Compel Attendance.
So great an exodus is threatened
that the Republican steering commit-
tee met to devise means to compel the
attendance of a quorum at the session
during the coming week. The com-
mittee urges that the Panama canal
treaty be ratified without amendment
and that the Cuban treaty be ratified
as amended by the foreign relations
committee and reported to the Senate.
This recommendation will undoubtedly
be accepted by the Republicans, and all
of them are expected to cast their
votes, so that the canal treaty will go
to Colombia as negotiated and the
Cuban treaty be ratified with the pro-
vision requiring concurrent action by
the two houses of Congress to give it
effect.

Extra Session Threat.
Senators who talked with the Pres-
ident believe it to be unlikely that an
extraordinary session will be called
next autumn. The president has
made it plain, however, that he
"holds himself free" to call such a ses-
sion should House action on the Cu-
ban treaty be made necessary.

Notice has been served upon the
senators through Mr. Lodge that
should either treaty fail of ratification
because of the absence of a quorum,
the President will call the Senate into
session and not consent to adjourn-
ment until the treaties are disposed of.
Democrats to Confer.
The Democrats have been hoping
that the Republican majority would
consent to some of the amendments
they will offer to the canal treaty.
They will hold a conference, Mr. Gor-
man, their leader, intending to make
a last appeal for united action. He
will try to commit all of the thirty-
three Democrats to a policy on both
treaties, and if he succeeds will be
able to dictate terms with the Repub-
licans. It is not believed, however,
that he can control all the Democratic
votes.

Talk of Adjournment.
Washington, March 14.—The Repub-
lican steering committee of the Sen-
ate has considered the general condition
of business in the Senate. The opin-
ion was expressed that it would be
desirable to fix a day for the close
of the session not later than next
week, Friday or Saturday. No resolu-
tions to that effect, however, will
be introduced until an effort shall
have been made to name a day for
voting on the Cuban reciprocity
treaty.

Ask Consul to Resign.
Washington, March 14.—United
States Consul John L. Blittinger, at
Montreal, has been asked to resign.
He will be succeeded by Major A. W.
Edwards, a North Dakota newspaper
man. Consul Blittinger while on leave
of absence at his home in St. Louis
talked very freely of the relations
between the United States and Can-
ada. This was ill received in Canada
and has led to the present action.

Restricts Chinese.
Washington, March 14.—The Secre-
tary of the Treasury has approved an
agreement entered into by Commis-
sioner General Sargent with the Can-
adian Pacific Railway Company
whereby all ports along the Canadian
border which heretofore have been
open for the admission of Chinese
persons are closed, except Richmond,
Vt.; Malone, N. L.; Portlat, N. D.;
and Sumas, Wash.

Defeat for Crum.
Washington, March 14.—The Repub-
lican leaders have forsaken Dr. Crum,
who was nominated by the president
for collector of the port at Charles-
ton, S. C., and no attempt will be
made to keep a quorum after the Cu-
ban treaty is disposed of. It will then
be given out that Crum's nomination
failed "for lack of a quorum."

Cortelyou Chooses Aide.
Washington, March 14.—Secretary
Cortelyou of the department of labor
and commerce has announced the fol-
lowing appointments in that depart-
ment: Chief clerk, Frank H. Hickock;
William H. Soleau, Michigan. Mr.
Cortelyou has selected as his personal
secretary H. A. Weaver and
Charles Wood.

Postpones Launching.
Washington, March 14.—The
launching of the battleship Colorado,
building at the Cramps yard, has been
postponed until April 25.

Roosevelt to Visit Chicago.
Washington, March 14.—President
Roosevelt will spend a day in Chicago
on his way back from the Pacific coast
the latter part of April.

**BURDICK CASE
INQUEST BEGUN**

Medical Examiner How-
land's Startling Testi-
mony Before the
Coroner's Jury.

WAS NOT SUICIDE

He Says Dr. Marcy Wanted
To Keep Matters Quiet
by Giving Out That
Opinion.

(Special by Scripps-McLure.)
Buffalo, March 14.—The inquest
as to the Burdick murder began this
morning and immense crowds sur-
rounded the police station. Medical
Examiner Howland was the first wit-
ness and he told of the examination
of the corpse.

Not Suicide
He said Dr. Marcy wanted him to
agree it was suicide and wanted affair
kept secret. Howland said he was
sure Burdick's clothes had been re-
moved before he was killed as he
found blood on his legs, evidently from
finger marks.

Mrs. Hull Nervous
He said that Mrs. Hull, Burdick's
mother-in-law, was very nervous all
the time he was making his examina-
tion of the corpse. He also stated
that the blood on the door was caused
by the swinging of an instrument that
hit the blow.

**CASTRO LIFTS THE
BLOCKADE TODAY**

Will Revoke His Decree Stopping
Traffic on the Orinoco
River.

(Special by Scripps-McLure.)
Caracas, March 14.—President Cas-
tro has revoked the decree of estab-
lishing the blockade of the Orinoco
river and will allow vessels to come
and go as they please. This is due
to the defeat of the revolutionists
in a recent battle.

**EXPLORERS SAFE
IN THE ARTIC**

Word Has Been Received from Baron
Toll's Expedition, Thought
To Be Lost.

(Special by Scripps-McLure.)
St. Petersburg, March 14.—The
Baron Toll expedition, supposed to
have been lost in the Arctic regions,
is reported as safe at Irkutsk. A re-
lief expedition had already been
started out to search for him and
his boat.

**WERE SNOW BOUND
FOR THIRTY DAYS**

Two Women Reach St. Johns, N. B.,
from the Interior, After Trav-
eling 45 Miles on Sleds.

(Special by Scripps-McLure.)
St. Johns, March 14.—Two women
have just arrived from the interior
where they have been snowbound for
thirty days. They made the trip on
sleds and experienced much suffer-
ing.

**BISMARCK'S SON
IS THE LEADER**

Son of the Iron Chancellor an Organ-
izer of League Against
America.

(Special by Scripps-McLure.)
Vienna, March 14.—Count Herman
Bismarck, son of the iron chancellor
is one of the most bitter leaders of
the attack upon the products of the
United States by counter tariff enact-
ments.

CONTESTS HER FATHER'S WILL

Daughter of Decedent Says She Was
Not Fairly Treated.

Eau Claire, Wis., March 14.—A con-
test was filed in the probate court
against the admission to probate of
the will of Henry H. Hayden. The
contest is on behalf of his daughter,
Avis Hayden, who has been adjudged
insane. The contestant alleges that
the estate amounts to \$400,000; that
the daughter, Avis, was bequeathed
only \$250, and that the testator, Mr.
Hayden, was of unsound mind and
was unduly influenced.

PLAN TO HONOR HENDERSON

Residents of Dubuque Will Welcome
the Ex-Speaker.

Dubuque, Ia., March 14.—Former
Speaker David B. Henderson will re-
ceive a grand welcome when he re-
turns to Dubuque next Monday. He
will be met by a delegation of Du-
buque citizens in Chicago and escorted
to this city. Various civic and frat-
ernal societies will escort him
through the principal streets and fol-
lowing a mass meeting there will be
a banquet. The demonstration will
be nonpartisan.

**JURY PLACES WOMAN'S
VALUE AT \$300 A POUND**

Awards Damages of \$9,000 for Loss
of Avoidupolis Through
Accident.

St. Louis, Mo., March 14.—For a
loss of thirty pounds in weight a St.
Louis special jury has awarded Miss
Alice Latson \$9,000 in a verdict
against the St. Louis Transit com-
pany. The loss of weight, as Miss
Latson convinced the jurors, was
caused by injuries which she received
in a collision between a transit car
and a buggy in which she was riding.
Loss of avoidupolis is not the only
loss sustained by the plaintiff in the
suit, for Miss Latson's testimony
showed that she earned an average of
\$170 a month as manager of the St.
Louis branch of a Chicago mail-order
house. Photographs of Miss Latson,
taken two years ago, were submitted
to prove her statement that she had
lost the thirty pounds, and a glance
at these was sufficient to convince the
most skeptical juror that her state-
ment was the truth.

Weekly trade reviews report a prom-
ising outlook for spring and summer
business.

**RAILWAYS ARE
WORKING HARD**

Are Enlisting the Aid of Shippers in
Their Fight Against Tax
Bill.

(Special to The Gazette.)
Madison, Wis., March 14.—Accord-
ing to reports which appear to be re-
liable, emissaries of the railway com-
panies are busy among the large ship-
pers in different sections of the state
promoting opposition to the taxation
and freight rate bills. The existing
commodity rate, which was used as
an effective weapon two years ago, is
again being utilized, shippers being
framed with its abrogation in
case either the proposed bills become
laws and urge to persuade their local
members of the legislature to work
against them.

HELD FOR MURDER

Men Who Killed a Ghoul Are Held
For Trial

(Special to The Gazette.)
Indianapolis, March 13.—Lucius
Stout and Hampton West, farmers
near here, were indicted this morning
for murdering William Gray, one of
the gang of ghouls belonging to the
Ruffe Cantrell gang, while fighting
over a corpse in the Beaver cemetery.
Cantrell was a witness against them.

STATE NOTES

Senator Tillman will speak at Madison
next Thursday on "The Negro
Question From a Southern Stand-
point."

Rev. E. O. Lee, pastor of Bethlehem
Norwegian Lutheran church has re-
signed because he says he is not in ac-
cord with the faith of his church.

Despondent over his condition,
which resulted from a long debauch,
Henry Holz of Milwaukee committed
suicide by taking carbolic acid.

The state convention of the Catho-
lic order of Foresters and the Fox
River Valley Side Rank union will be
held at Oshkosh on June 9 and 10.

As the result of swallowing a
"squaker" with which he was playing
William Monahan, a 15-year old Mil-
waukee boy, was choked to death.

Dr. J. A. Jackson of Madison in a
paper before the Contemporary club
said that he had successfully treated
a case of blood poisoning with formal-
lin.

P. B. Carpenter of Barnaboo was
thrown against a wire fence by a frac-
tious colt. Lockjaw resulted from the
injuries and he died after about a
week's illness.

The men employed at the N. B. Gas-
ton & Sons company at Beloit, re-
turned to work today. Concessions
were made on both sides and a set-
tlement effected.

Objection to the sale of beer and
lack of agreement with other plans,
has led to the E. B. Wolcott post, G.
A. R. at Milwaukee, to announce its
withdrawal from the proposed celebra-
tion of flag day.

George Jackson, the 7-year old son
of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Jackson of Ke-
nosha, was playing in the street when
he was run over by a team and back
and seriously hurt.

James Sublett, the colored porter
who attempted to shoot Burkhardt
Breseman at Marshfield, pleaded guilty
at his hearing and was bound over
to await his sentence.

The jurymen in the \$10,000 damage
suit of Philip Gardner against the
Paine Lumber company at Fond du
Lac were unable to agree and a new
trial has been ordered for November.

Rev. H. Holmsen, pastor of the
Bethel church at Hudson, has left that
city. He secured a divorce from his
wife and when last seen was driving
with one of the young ladies of the
congregation.

Ernest Schultz, who last November
left Shobogan without leaving an ad-
dress, and against whom his father
had sworn out a warrant charging him
with stealing \$100, returned and has
been arrested.

Mayor Rose of Milwaukee has re-
ceived about one thousand tons of
the Welsh anthracite which he ordered
to relieve the coal famine. The warm
weather has caused a cessation in
the rush for coal, and not more than
a score of orders were taken yester-
day.

P. J. Rice left yesterday morning
on a business trip for the Marquette
Co. He carried the finest line of shoe sam-
ples ever turned out in this city.

**WILL AMEND
RAILWAY BILL**

It Is Now Thought the
Senate Will Strike
Off Tax Commis-
sion Clause

TO SUIT RAILWAYS

This is What the Railroad
People Have Objected
to in the Proposed
Legislation.

(Special to The Gazette.)
Madison, Wis., March 14.—A consid-
erable work has been done in the
legislature this week in the way
of disposing of minor bills, little has
been accomplished toward disposing
of the important matters of the ses-
sion.

Tax Bill
The bill taxing railways on the ad-
valorem system has had a hearing
before the senate committee on as-
sessment and collection of taxes, and
it is understood the committee is
about ready to report, but it has not
done so as yet.

Amendment
Report is that the committee will
recommend the bill for passage with
an important amendment, cutting out
that section which makes the state
tax commission a board of assess-
ment to fix the value of railway prop-
erty.

May Be Satisfied
As this is the feature to which the
railway representatives have object-
ed most strenuously, it is believed
they will be satisfied if this section
is eliminated. At least a majority
of the committee will it believed
recommend the bill in this form, and
with the majority in the upper
house it will undoubtedly go
through.

Freight Rate Bill
A hearing on the freight rate bill,
providing for a state railway com-
mission to fix maximum rates, will be
held next Tuesday afternoon by the
assembly committee on railroads. The
railway people intend to put up a vi-
gorous fight against this bill in the
lower house, and have a fair chance
of defeating it there.

Members of the senate

OBSERVER WRITES ONCE MORE ON CONDITIONS IN JANESVILLE

HAS A KEEN INSIGHT INTO MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

THE FACTS GIVEN ARE SALIENT

He States Conditions in a Manner That Bars Any Contrary Opinions.

As the spring election draws nearer men of independent thought are favoring a business reform in city affairs and what is better still, they have shown a willingness to let the Municipal league point the way.

But the report is undoubtedly well founded that the league representatives have had other matters to handle.

The Observer believes that after the track is cleared there will be plenty of good men found to fill the offices. This opinion is strengthened by acquaintance with men of all parties, and I have yet to find a taxpayer who is in favor of more taxes, or who expects relief from any other source than through the adoption and carrying into effect of league principles at the spring election.

Question of Candidates

The majority ranks first or at least equally important with that of the alderman, for the reason that the common council is composed jointly of the mayor and the aldermen. And the Observer knows no reason why the personnel of the mayor should be of greater importance than that of the aldermen. He certainly ought to possess a fair understanding of city affairs, he ought to stand for the enforcement of reform principles; he ought to have the nerve to defend the public treasury, and there is no doubt but what he must be available as a candidate. This is not a complete statement of the case but it will pass for of hand.

Even the captivating rose, by any other name, would still retain its fragrance, and the honest voter should be prepared to yield prejudice for the public good. The system against which public opinion is now arrayed and which has more than once supplied the temptation for breach of trust, cannot be revoked in a day, although it has received a blow from which it will not recover during the present generation. And the Municipal league is entitled to credit for attacking the evil courageously.

Ignorance of the Law

But from whatever source the candidates of permanent reform shall be launched upon the sea of local politics, they ought, if elected, to pray earnestly to be delivered from having friends to reward or enemies to punish. The air is full of gossip about too many officials who have felt authorized to incur indebtedness against the city and it is currently reported that much of this ignorance of the law is on account of the fact that the city charter has been a closed book to those who ought to have known it best.

That Rate of Taxation

Appropos of still another report it may be asked if the rate of taxation is not in all conscience high enough in Janesville, without seeking comfort from cities that claim to be still worse off? Their rate of assessment may be wholly different, and they may be paying for public utilities. It is convenient sometimes to go away from home for good government but if it comes any higher than it does in Janesville the Observer would suggest that people decline to move until they investigate.

Same Kind of Comparison

If, for instance, the streets of Janesville were made dangerous for people to be out later than nine o'clock, it would be rather poor comfort to be told that Eau Claire was dangerous at eight o'clock.

However, if a man feels humiliated because he isn't taxed enough in Janesville we still hope that he would leave town on that account. Let him stir around lively and get his street macadamized.

That Sign of Prosperity

Whatever the people of other cities submit to by way of taxation affects the situation here not a particle. It is not the sign of a city's prosperity that its taxes are high, and in the long run the tendency is to drive away capital, and check the growth of population.

The Observer has seen manufacturing concerns come and go in endless procession since the time when the cotton mill was supposed to revolutionize the business history of Janesville. The most of them have been of great benefit and the low rate of taxation has always been used as a powerful argument to induce the new concern to locate its plant. Not until the present time has it been insinuated that manufacturing concerns hesitate on account of excessive taxes. The conclusion is irresistible and requires no comment.

A Pertinent Question

The real battle this spring will be between a conservative business-like administration of city affairs and the advocates of reckless expenditure. Money is required to pay the legitimate expenses of the city government, and property owners must expect to be taxed, but they are not expected to swallow a \$40,000 increase in the space of five years without asking where this is going to stop.

Beloit the Open Town

Friends of high taxation would dream of making a fight upon an issue were it not for their fear of keeping a wide open town. As their strongest card and they are it with the skill of veterans.

Already it is said that the element has been temporarily referred to Beloit and it is urged that this trade ought to be kept in Janesville.

The new Interurban railway is to cut a figure in local politics and there is no end of gossip about the effect upon local business.

Attempt at Prejudice

The Observer claims to have no personal information upon this feature, except to express a

belief that it is an attempt to create a false prejudice. In the business men of Janesville are in danger of being wronged by a proper enforcement of the laws of Wisconsin. Do the business men want Janesville turned into a legalized Monte Carlo? If so, they should have presented their case to the legislature instead of the grand jury.

As a matter of fact, however, there appears to be an unwritten law existing in cities everywhere that certain latitude is permissible in the realm of sports and games, and that the "closed" policy is not the proper thing when all the circumstances are weighed. Under this view of the case there is a sort of rivalry between cities to see which one can outdo the other in catering to the "sports" and steering clear of the law. Mayors are elected upon this law issue in many instances but even the best of them are still subject to the law and to that extent at least the law exerts a wholesome influence. It cannot be that the inhabitants of Janesville are so lost to decency as to demand that flagrant temptations shall be encouraged promiscuously and in defiance of the public morals. Upon the other hand the Observer is not aware of any attempt to regulate the morals of the city.

If such an issue should enter into the spring campaign it will come in the form of a challenge from the so-called sports fraternity and in that event it will have to be met by each voter as he casts his ballot.

League's Efforts Confined to Business

The league has attempted no reforms except, such as are sustained by the law of the state, and yet it has already revolutionized the public business of this city. So small a thing as the publication of current expenses and the public salaries list is a vast improvement. Scores of taxpayers including the Observer, were not aware that Janesville had suddenly blossomed out with a police department that costs \$3,540 per annum.

Facts May Appear Later

In the good old times it was deemed enough to have one efficient marshal, but Janesville is a progressive city and now has four. Unfortunately, however, the Observer cannot tell all the league has accomplished. Even its critics ought to reflect that a little too much clamor might bring down.

Catamount Instead of Coon

Thus, King Lear exclaims, "When we are born, we cry that we have come to this great stage of fools!" Or, quoting again from Lord Byron in resentful mood who says:

"A man must serve his time at any trade save coning; Critics now, are ready made."

Time Will Tell

If the league committee had had other business than that of naming candidates it may be on account of unlooked for surprises, who knows? And if Saturday night's meeting is agreeable, let us hope at least that a genuine reform in city affairs will be accepted by sensible level-headed men as one of the most substantial achievements of this great agitation.

DAVID HARUM WAS WELL PORTRAYED

Cunning Old New York State Trader at the Myers Grand Opera House.

That delightful story of the quaint old Yankee horse trader, David Harum, was re-told at the Myers Grand last evening. In the hands of Julius Cahn's company the tale recalled all of the charm of Westcott's novel, and for nearly three hours held the interest of one of the largest and most appreciative audiences of the season.

In the title role W. H. Turner possessed that cunning, unctuous humor which has made the character one of the most wholesome and laughable before the public today. Charles Eldridge, as Zeke Swinney, was a close favorite with him in the eyes of the audience. His impersonation of the crabbled usurer was very true to the everyday type. Joseph Maylan, as Dave's factotum, was the conventional Way Down East, Old Homestead, Happy Hollow country bumpkin.

No feature of the play won more spontaneous applause, or gave a truer touch of reality than the scene in the rain storm, belaboring the "baw" that would "stand without hitching," while the water ran in torrents from the rim of the old man's hat, his mackintosh and his straggly whiskers. It was about as realistic a piece of realism as is often seen.

...Forty Years Ago...

Janesville Daily Gazette, Saturday, March 14, 1863.—They are to have a telegraph in Oregon. Three hundred miles of wire lately arrived there; two hundred were lost on the ship Noonday.

A meeting will be held at Lappin's hall on Monday evening next which will be addressed by George A. Bellops, Esq., of the city of New York, explaining the object and purpose of the sanitary commission. Mr. B. was connected with the army of the Potomac and visited Gen. Rosecrans, after the battle of Stone River and will be able to give an account of the wants and necessities of our soldiers. There will be no mission fee, and no collection of money taken at the meeting. All interested in the welfare of the army are invited to attend.

By reference to our advertising

MOCK TRIAL IS AGENT'S BUGBEAR

Justice and Lawyers Rid Themselves of an Unwelcome Visitor.

During several days past an agent for a patent wire pants stretcher has been playing sales about the city. One of his visits was made to a justice court where he proposed to sell some of his wares. In this he was unsuccessful, and he is probably still unaware that it was by a hoax that he was prevented from displaying his trousers stretcher for sale.

On the day when he made his visit business was dull in the justice shop. His honor was lounging in an easy chair behind the desk of justice, while half a dozen young attorneys occupied the remaining pieces of furniture. In the midst of a bit of aimless gossip the vender of automatic tailors entered.

His Honor had an inspiration. "Call the next witness," he said. The lawyers immediately "got next" and with the utmost solemnity one of their number was sworn, and another began the examination. The stretcher salesman sank into a chair, hoping that an intermission would send present opportunity for him to press the sale of his wares.

When the first victim was examined, cross examined, and then examined once more, until all parties concerned were blue in the face, another witness was called. Then another. Still the agent lingered.

For a time it seemed as though the lawyers were in for a siege of it, and his honor was wondering if a contempt of court charge would drive out the unwelcome visitor. The prosecutor was beginning to talk in circles. No one knew the nature of the complaint, supposed to be in progress, and the imaginative strain was great. Just as despair was beginning to shut into the hearts of the young legal lights, with a sigh of disappointed hopes, the man with the pants stretcher rose and went out. The lawyers breathed again.

SCHEDULE ENDS FOR THE SEASON

Basket Ball Teams Will Not, However, Disband Just at Present.

This week has been one of vacation for the basket ball league of the Y. M. C. A. Scheduled games will probably be recommenced next week. Although the basket ball season is practically at an end for the other teams of the city, the league lives expect to continue their contests for some time to come. Interest has been high in many of the games, especially as the teams most regularly pitted against each other are captained by brothers. The fives led by R. Palmer, E. Palmer, W. Gregory and J. Gregory are among the most persistent players.

Plays Milton College

The last scheduled game of the season for the Y. M. C. A. basket ball team will be played on next Tuesday. The opposing five will be the Milton college team, a team that has been defeated at the hands of the association team in the local gym this season.

Lawyers Bowl Tuesday

Wednesday of next week was the day originally decided upon for the second match in the bowling series between Captain Palmer's and Captain Peterson's teams of attorneys. This date has been shifted one day earlier, making the time of the second contest, Tuesday evening.

Work For Exhibition

Every class hour of the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium squads is now being devoted to practice for the annual exhibition. No definite date has yet been set, but the exhibition will probably not occur before the second or third week of April. Athletic Director Mack is drilling the classes in the stereotyped work of the classes, aiming for precision in the movements, rather than difficult and complex evolutions.

SOUTH WEST LIMA

South West Lima, March 12.—Owing to the dark foggy weather of the past week the roads do not improve very fast.

Mr. E. Bullock of Janesville was seen on our streets Monday.

Miss Green closed her winter term of school Tuesday.

Mr. Reese is having a telephone put in his store, which will be appreciated by the people of Lima and vicinity.

Gall Richmond and Chas. Branks have caught the railroad fever, their families look for a speedy recovery.

The friends of Mr. Bucholtz are getting up a subscription to help him while in his sad condition.

Health Officer Jenkins is disinfecting Dave Harris's home this week, from the germs of diphtheria.

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THEY WILL PAY SOON AS POSSIBLE

BUSINESS MEN'S ASSOCIATION TO GIVE PROMISED BONUS.

REPORT ON THE POST FACTORY

At a Meeting Held Last Evening, Much Business Was Accomplished.

What business was brought before the meeting of the Business Men's association last evening was disposed of with great rapidity. Adjournment came within half an hour of the time that the meeting was called to order by President Carle. After reports had been heard from the members of the committee which had inspected the American Post company's plant, the subscriptions, amounting to an aggregate of six thousand dollars, were ordered paid.

The meeting was held in the assembly room of the city hall and was attended by a very few members, several arriving after the motion for adjournment had been passed.

Plant Is Satisfactory

L. B. Carle, C. S. Jackman and Dennis Hayes comprised the committee which last Wednesday inspected the plant in behalf of the association. C. S. Jackman delivered the report. He stated that whereas the agreement had called for the expenditure of \$30,000 on the plant, there had already been an outlay of upwards of \$50,000.

75 men are now employed. One of the presses is idle, owing to the failure of the Jeffries company to secure lumber with which to manufacture a requisite number of moulds. A bill of lading has been received indicating that the lumber is now in transit, and the desired moulds will be completed within a very short time. He moved that the plant be approved and the subscription paid to the company.

President Carle told of his visit in much the same terms as Mr. Jackman, agreeing that the company had fulfilled their agreement to the letter, and more. He also recommended the payment of six thousand dollars which had been pledged to secure the company to this city.

To Enlarge Force

Dennis Hayes, the third member of the committee, and a stockholder in the cement post company, stated the company expected, as soon as the necessary apparatus was on hand to buy them, to employ a force of one hundred men.

It was voted that the subscription be paid.

A. E. Bingham, the secretary of the association, answered, in response to a question, that the subscription to the Vulcor company had been paid with the exception of between two and three hundred dollars. But little difficulty had been experienced. He moved that copies of the subscription list for the post company be placed at the four banks of the city, and that the subscriptions be paid there.

The meeting adjourned.

EARLY RESIDENT HAS PASSED AWAY

T. P. Chapin, Who Opened the First Blacksmith Shop in Janesville, Is Dead.

T. P. Chapin, one of the earliest pioneers of this city, died at his farm home near Brooklyn, Wis., Thursday night at the advanced age of eighty-four years. Funeral services will be held at Brooklyn Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Deceased was one of the first business men of Janesville. His father, the late Gideon Chapin, moved his family here from the east in the fall of 1836. He and his son, who was then seventeen years old, opened the first blacksmith shop in this city, occupying the shop which still stands on the corner of North Bluff and North First streets as one of the oldest land marks in the city. The shop was welcomed as a great convenience by the pioneer farmers of Rock county and the father and son prospered.

Deceased built one of the first brick houses erected in Janesville. Several years later he moved to Brooklyn, Wis., establishing a blacksmith shop for which there was a great demand in that city. After many years of active business life he purchased the farm which was his home until his death.

Mr. Chapin was an uncle of Dr. E. H. Dudley of this city, being a brother of Dr. Dudley's mother. He will be well remembered by the early pioneers of Rock county and his death marks the passing of another of those sturdy souls who played well their part in carving the great state of Wisconsin from the wilderness.

Furniture

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REPUBLICAN CITY CONVENTION.

The republican city convention will be held in the assembly room of the city hall in the city of Janesville on Friday, March 27, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m., to nominate candidates to be voted for at the ensuing municipal election and to elect a city committee.

Nominations are to be made for the following offices: Mayor, city clerk, school commissioner at large, justice of the peace, sealer of weights and measures.

The several wards will hold their caucuses on Thursday, March 26th, 1903, and elect delegates to said convention as follows:

First ward, eight (8) delegates.
Second ward, six (6) delegates.
Third ward, ten (10) delegates.
Fourth ward, seven (7) delegates.
Fifth ward, three (3) delegates.
The caucuses will open at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continue one hour as provided by law.

Dated March 14th, 1903.
M. O. MOULTON, Chairman.
A. C. JACKMAN, Secy. of Com.

THE FIRST WARD REPUBLICAN CAUCUS for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, School Commissioner and to elect eight (8) delegates to the city convention, to be held at the city hall on Thursday, March 26th, 1903, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law, will be held at the ensuing city election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the East Side Fire Station, in this city, on Thursday, March 26th, 1903, beginning at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law.

THE SECOND WARD REPUBLICAN CAUCUS for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, School Commissioner and to elect six (6) delegates to the city convention, to be held at the city hall on Thursday, March 26th, 1903, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law, will be held at the ensuing city election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the East Side Fire Station, in this city, on Thursday, March 26th, 1903, beginning at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law.

THE THIRD WARD REPUBLICAN CAUCUS for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, School Commissioner and to elect ten (10) delegates to the city convention, to be held at the city hall on Thursday, March 26th, 1903, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law, will be held at the ensuing city election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the East Side Fire Station, in this city, on Thursday, March 26th, 1903, beginning at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law.

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THE FIFTH WARD REPUBLICAN CAUCUS for the nomination of ward candidates, as follows: An Alderman, Supervisor, School Commissioner and to elect three (3) delegates to the city convention, to be held at the city hall on Thursday, March 26th, 1903, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law, will be held at the ensuing city election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus, will be held at the East Side Fire Station, in this city, on Thursday, March 26th, 1903, beginning at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and continuing one hour as provided by law.

Special Meeting Called: A special meeting of the A. O. H. will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 sharp.

Chorus Meets: Baptist church chorus will meet tonight at home of Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Whiffen at 129 Pearl street at seven thirty.

PLENTY OF IT

Lots More Proof Like This and It Is All From Janesville People

"The proof of the pudding is in the eating of it." If any city or town in the union has sufficient proof on the following subject it is Janesville. Genuine merit is finding its reward in the hearty endorsement of local citizens. When people right here at home, friends and neighbors of our readers give a statement like the following for publication it is proof convincing for the most skeptical. Read this testimony:

Mrs. S. L. Belden of 64 S. River street says: "During two or three years I suffered most of the time with a terrible dragging down pain in my back just over the kidneys. It was very trying when I was at work and if I did any lifting my bladder became affected causing me considerable annoyance. I also had attacks of headache which seemed like congestion in the top and back of my head. When I read about Doan's Kidney Pills I did not have any too much confidence in them but my daughter got a box at the People's Drug Co.'s store and persuaded me to use them. They took right hold and made a wonderful change in my condition. I hardly realized how bad I was until Doan's Kidney Pills brought me relief from the afflictions."

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WORLDLINESS OF GREEK WRITERS

THEY WERE MEN AND WOMEN OF ACTION.

DID NOT LIVE IN SECLUSION

Prof. T. L. Wright Lectures to the Art League on Worldliness of Greek Literature.

Prof. T. L. Wright, of Beloit college, gave his fourth lecture before the Janeville Art League at the High school building on Friday afternoon. Instead of speaking on Greek Comedy, as had been planned, Prof. Wright chose the broader subject of "The Worldliness of Greek Literature." He has also made some changes in his plans for the remaining two lectures in the series. Both will be illustrated with stereoscopic views and the next lecture will be on the Olympic Games while the concluding one will be a Resume of the Chief Types of Greek Sculpture.

Writers Were Worldly Men
In his lecture of yesterday, Prof. Wright's object was to show that there was a worldliness which characterized all lines of Greek literature. This worldliness is not to be interpreted as frivolity but as an active interest in the affairs of the world. The great Greek writers were not men of the cloister and of the secluded study but men of the world. This was true equally of the poets the play writers, the historians and the orators and philosophers; a fact which the speaker proved by giving a brief summary of the leading figures in each of these groups. He also read passages from the pens of the different writers which illustrated his thought.

Gay Life of Poets
Of the poets, Homer was chief. He was not a man of the cloisters but of the world. He was up to the times and appreciated the fact that men like the newest song best. Hesiod was a hard-handed tiller, an agriculturalist who anticipates all the burden of Kansas and the Dakotas in his book, "The Works and Days." He was a pessimist and another querulous writer was Archilochos, the warrior colonist, few of whose satires remain. No place suited him and he wandered from place to place.

Sappho a Club Woman
Even the Greek elegies never attain the repose of the English elegies. They are full of action. If Homer is the poet of Greece, Sappho is the poetess. She was no blue-stocking and was not feminine in her writings. She was the first woman of the world, the first club woman. She gathered young girls together and taught them. She was a woman of the world but in her writings there breathes no air of the conventional drawing room.

Fond of Show
Alcibiades was a gay dashing fellow, fond of military millinery and of dashing adventures. In contrast to him is the greater lyric poet, Pindar, who came at a later time and who was a man of study, burning the midnight oil. He surpasses Milton in his elaborate meter and mythical allusions but he faces political problems and deals with them with his pen. He loved splendor and his favorite subject was victory in Grecian games and he wrote often of the turmoil of the race track.

Historians Not Recluses
The Greek historians were cosmopolitans, telling of events in which they had shared. They did not sit in their studies and write their histories by the present collaborative method. Herodotus was a traveler, prying visiting sacred places, where he was not wanted and talkatively telling things which people do not care to hear. Xenophon was a restless explorer and Thucydides, the least impassioned and most accurate of the historians, was a minor.

Dramatists Were Worldly
That the dramatists were worldly is to be expected for the theater has always been a place where religion is close to sin and where literature descends to please popular taste. The sympathetic omnipresence of the Greek chorus around the chief persons in the play illustrates what is meant by the worldliness of Greek literature.

If Euripides is counted the least of the three great dramatists, it is because of his greater seclusion. He was too much of a man of study to please the Greeks or to illustrate the general characteristic of worldliness. Athens looked askance at any one who retired.

Actors and Dramatists
The two greater dramatists were less men of the cloisters. Sophocles kept young in spirit. He was not content to be the best loved dramatist. He was an actor in his own plays and an actor in the wilder scenes of life. Aeschylus was not so proud of having written "The Persians," as he was of having fought against the Persians at Salamis and Marathon. He wished his tombstone to commemorate not Aeschylus the poet, but Aeschylus, the soldier.

Greek Orators
Among the Greek orators, Demosthenes is by far the most representative on the roll. He was greatly greater than the other nine because his natural disposition was more Hellenic worldliness. He studied but he found time to be a man of action in the world.

Philosophers Were Worldly
At the end of the roll call of the classes of literature are the philosophers, a class which people are accustomed to think of as living in seclusion in their own studies, aloof from the people. This was not true of the great Greek philosophers, Aristotle, Plato and Socrates. Aristotle lived out of doors and knew animals thoroughly. Plato, the transcendentalist, was more fit for the medieval monastery but he knew the extremes of life, having lived as a courtier, an athlete and a slave.

Socrates Was Sociable
Socrates was never willing to leave Athens because of his fondness for meeting folks. No Salvation Army officer or Missionary would try to be so omnipresent as he was. He

A Layman's Lenten Sermon.

Sixteenth day of Lent: St. Mark 1:27.—As it is written of the prophets. Behold I send my messenger before thy face, which shall prepare thy way before thee.

The voice of one crying in the wilderness, Prepare ye the way of the Lord; make His paths straight.

How many of us today are always ready and willing to listen to the call of the disciple of God, His chosen ministers? How many of us go regularly to church and attend to our duties as true Christians? Paying heed to the teachings of the old and new testament and making our paths straight?

The voice of one crying in the wilderness. Too often this is true. Too often we do not pay the attention to the call that we should and let opportunities pass by that we might have taken.

In this busy world of business we have so much to take our attention that we do not give the time to thought of the future life that we should.

In almost every country a religious

wave of reform sweeps over at some time or other in its history. Europe had its reformation and England in particular, its civil war and Protectorate of Cromwell. The United States has passed through several spasms of revival movements, all of which were as voices calling in the wilderness to which a few have heeded. Christ came on earth to teach the world to do better. He gave His life that we poor miserable sinners might find atonement in the eyes of our Lord and Master.

In this Lenten period, this yearly celebration of commemoration of Christ fasting and suffering in the wilderness for our sakes we should devote some time each day to the consideration of our spiritual life and not devote so much time to our material one.

Lent is a time for thought and prayer. It is a time when we should consider something besides the pomp and vanities of this life, the party, the dance, the dinner, the theatre. It is time when we should commune with our soul for its welfare, leaving the bodily pleasures to another time.

BEFORE THE FOOTLIGHTS.

The joint appearance of Louis James and Frederick Warde on Wednesday evening in an elaborate production of "The Tempest" provided their managers, Messrs. Wagenhals

brilliant players not only a memory, but a public is assured that the magnificent lines of the poet will be spoken as they should be, and their blend of the characters will not be shattered. A performance of such a play



and Kemper is the attractive announcement of the Myers Grand management.

The announcement is particularly attractive because those plays which have been associated with the great artists of bygone times cannot successfully be exploited, except by their acknowledged successors. "The Tempest" although regarded as the most faultless piece of dramatic work known in any language, would not draw an audience large enough to pay for the expense of advertising it, were it presented by a cast of unknown players. But with Mr. Warde and Mr. James the legitimate successors of the Booths, Barrett, Salvini and other

under such conditions thereby becomes an all too rare event, and the patronage is only limited as a rule by the capacity of the theater. In the present instance the names of Wagenhals and Kemper to whom the lavish nature of the production is due is of hardly less importance than those of the stars. "What the late Augustin Daly did for the great masterpieces of his New York theater, these managers have been and are doing for the provincial cities, and they are said to have exceeded all of their previous efforts in the scenic equipment and playing cast they have provided for "The Tempest." Seats will be on sale next Monday morning.

Alabama Fruit

Fruitdale, Ala., March 4, 1903.—Having received so many letters of inquiry concerning the south from my former neighbors and friends, I take the liberty of answering them through the medium of your valuable paper. This is a great fruit country and the attention of the people has been directed more towards the culture of peaches, as it matures earlier than other fruit and is a very paying product. There are now more than 440,000 trees and the planting will soon exceed 500,000. As the Mand. O. R. R. has a reputation for quick and reliable freight service, your products are placed in the markets of St. Louis and Chicago within 36 hours. The fruit growers are furnished with refrigerator cars which are loaded at Mobile and Meridian and special care is taken that your products reach the market in as good condition as they were sent.

Land is very cheap, ranging in price from \$2 to \$15 per acre for the unimproved and \$25 to \$150 for the improved.

Among our prosperous fruit and visited low saloons and was the friend of sinners. The first thinker of Greece would prove the immortality of the soul one moment and chat with vivacity on dancing the next. He was a loafer and a gossip but he succeeded in making loquacious and gossiping easy.

The Greatest Greeks
In conclusion the speaker said that this list was not picked to prove the lively worldliness of Greek literature. They were the great vital writers of the Greeks. The recluses were mediocre and are almost or quite forgotten. Everything best touches back to the people, to the lively life. These authors knew life in an intimate way.

Men of Action
It has been said that an active man is not a great writer. In Hellas, the great men of a way of writing them. Any man who is great in action should be great in literature for literature is not a thing to be placed on a pedestal. It is the real thrill of the life between strong thinking and strong living. Literature is the expression of life.

Nasal CATARRH
In all its stages there should be cleanliness. Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and relieves every cold in the head.

Ely's Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relieve inflammation and cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at drug stores or by mail. Trial Size, 10 cents by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 50 Water Street, New York.

large truck farm. From seven acres he shipped 2700 cases of tomatoes to the northern markets.

This is only a few of our planters' names, but enough to give some idea of the immense amount of capital here and showing you that Fruitdale is not an experiment but on a good financial basis. Still the planting goes on and the growth of Fruitdale is assured.

Since January 1, 1900, 22 houses have been built in the village, seven new business places and 36 new residences in the surrounding country. There are two good public schools, complete telephone system, saw mill, planer and a live local newspaper, two new churches will be built this season, one now being in course of erection.

Rome was not built in a day but Fruitdale which was but the nucleus of a town in '95 is now a thriving village and we are all proud of its advancement. It is a settlement of northern people, who seeking health and wealth and to escape the right winters, journeyed southward and took up their abode at Fruitdale, saw the many possibilities of the place, went to work with a vim and have made the possibilities the realities.

As to the social part of our community, we note with pride, the Women's Home Workers, being quite a factor here, doing much for the social part and incidentally great deal for the church.

As Fruitdale is near the gulf, one might get the idea that our summers are extremely hot, but the high uplands are not subjected to the extremes of heat and cold that are so common in the northern latitudes. The temperature rarely exceeds 90 degrees during the summer nor falls below 30 degrees in the winter months, there are many days in mid-winter that we need no fire at all.

This is surely a stockman's delight they don't have to feed but a very few weeks and the native stockmen do not feed at all. And this is surely the place for roses. They bloom the year round and the Cape jasmine, magnolias and flowers lend their fragrance and beauty towards making this one of the most beautiful places in the south.

Will close now but before doing so would say to my friends if they desire to know more of our Sunny Southland to write our resident real estate agent, J. M. Smith, formerly of Colfax, Indiana, who will cheerfully answer any and all questions. G. W. DIBBLE.

Valuable Secrets.
Recently \$25,000 was obtained at public auction in London for the recipe of a celebrated pill. This is a striking instance of the value of a secret. A firm paid \$50,000 not long ago for a method of curing hams. The famous Worcester sauce is made according to a recipe hundreds of years old, which was bought for a large sum of money from an old family.

COSTS NOTHING UNLESS CURED

A Fair Offer Made by the People's Drug Co. to All Sufferers of Catarrh.

The People's Drug Co. are selling Hyomei on a plan that has caused considerable talk amongst the customers.

The plan is different from that followed by other remedies, but their remedy itself is different also. This treatment for the cure of catarrh has such an unusual record of cures to its credit that the People's Drug Co. offer to refund the money if it does not give the desired benefit. This is certainly one of the fairest offers that can be made, and any one who has catarrh and does not take advantage of it is doing himself or herself an injustice.

The Hyomei treatment consists of an inhaler that can be carried in the vest-pocket, a medicine dropper and a bottle of Hyomei. The complete treatment costs but \$1.00 and as the inhaler will last a lifetime and there is sufficient Hyomei for more than a month's use the medicine is very inexpensive. Many people who have used it write that for the good Hyomei has done for them they would willingly pay thousands of dollars. Extra bottles of Hyomei can be procured for use with the inhaler at 50c.

Do not suffer any longer with tickling, smarting, irritating, burning, eye-watering troubles that afflict those who have catarrh. Hyomei will cure you, but if you should not find it adapted to your case the People's Drug Co. will return your money.

Suits and Top Coats

SPECIAL SATURDAY SELLING.

Men's New Military Suits

At \$10 made of the most attractive fabrics—all hand padded shoulders, new shape, retaining fronts, exactly patterned after tailor-made garments, in fact, just as good in every way, except 1/3 the price.... **\$10.00**

Men's Hand-Made Suits

At \$12 to \$15 we are showing a novelty line such as is exceptionally shown in the largest houses in the country; hand made collars and button holes, genuine hair cloth front, this is a positive shape retainer, every conceivable style of cloth, correctly tailored in every respect. Union made. We defy competition at these **\$12.00 to \$15.00** prices.....

Young Men's Suits at \$5 to \$15. The best and most varied assortment we have ever shown. Made up right in every detail, broad, loose fitting shoulders, shape-retaining fronts, a large line to select from..... **\$5 to \$15**

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Janesville, Wis.

Suits and Skirts

A little early, but a lively demand is already on and many have bought. The present showing of about a hundred all new Suits is attracting a good share of attention comprising as it does the pick from a number of New York makers of high-class man-tailored garments.

At \$10, a Suit of Special Values; others at \$13, \$15, \$18, \$20, \$22 and \$25

that are beyond question best in town at like prices. A very large line of Pedestrian and Dress Skirts, and new one coming every day. Every store claims the best \$5.00 Skirt, but look around and decide this yourself. We show twenty styles at this price, including a line of sizes for Misses, 36 to 40 inch lengths.

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A splendid silk finish satteen waist, sizes 32 to 44, at \$1.00. Sizes 45, 48 and 50 at \$1.50

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TWO FIRES KEPT FIREMEN BUSY

ONE WAS A CHIMNEY, THE OTHER A DWELLING.

DAMAGE WAS ABOUT \$1,000

A Defective Chimney Set the Old McLean Home on Fire About Noon.

The fire department had a busy time of it this morning, two alarms being turned in from different parts of the city, inside of two hours, one of the calls being a burning chimney and the other a fire in the old McLean residence on Center avenue.

The first call came in shortly before ten o'clock by telephone saying that there was a fire at Mrs. Charles Turner's home on Oakland avenue in Forest Park from box 311. The department found that there was no call for their services when they reached the house as the chimney had burned itself out. Mrs. Turner had put some old papers in the stove to burn them and the blaze set the chimney going.

Second Alarm

The second alarm came in from box 54 at the corner of Center avenue and North streets at about a quarter to twelve and called the department to the old McLean house, which is now owned by Mrs. Phoebe Kellogg of Racine and occupied by J. A. Drummond and family.

The fire started in the roof of the kitchen at the rear of the house and had worked its way along the ceiling to the main portion of the house before being discovered by Mrs. Drummond. The house has a high-peaked roof and the spans between the ceiling and the roof furnished plenty of room for the fire to burn before breaking out through the roof.

A Good Start

It had a good start when the department arrived and the only way the boys could get at the blaze was by ripping off the ceilings inside the house. The building was badly wrecked inside before the blaze was subdued and it will take close to a thousand dollars to put it back in shape. The loss was covered by insurance.

Fire Started

The fire started from a kitchen stove located in the rear part of the house. Mr. Drummond had only been in the house about a week and the kitchen stove pipe had not been run into a chimney that had not been used for years and was probably defective. The fire had worked along under the roof to the dining room before Mrs. Drummond discovered it.

NEW PARTY HAS NAMED ALDERMEN

Social Democrats Chose Their Candidates for the Coming Spring Election.

The social democrats of the city held their caucus last evening and nominated their candidates for the offices of aldermen, school commissioner and supervisors and also selected delegates to their city convention which will be held in the city hall tonight.

The following are the nominations. Aldermen—First ward, Ed Kerry; Second ward, Washington Barringer; Third ward, Richard Hogan; Fourth ward, P. J. McKelue; Fifth ward, William Pankhurst.

For School Commissioners—First ward, T. Larson; Third ward, Alaine Pardee; Fifth ward, no selection made.

For Supervisors—First ward, L. Fritz; Second ward, Thos. Walsh; Third ward, Dan. O'Connell; Fourth ward, Herbert Baker; Fifth ward, E. W. Collingsworth.

The delegates to the city convention, which is to be held this evening will be as follows:

First ward—Tim McKelue, T. Larson, H. Haycock, Ed. Kerry.

Second ward—Lou Lawless, Tom Walsh, F. Coyne, John Lynch, W. Barrage.

Third ward—R. J. Hogan, E. A. Baum, W. H. Phelps, H. Luddington, H. Noblinsky.

Fourth ward—Jos. Delaney, Herbert Baker, E. Braddy, P. J. McKelue, W. Lohman.

Fifth ward—E. W. Collingsworth, W. Pankhurst, W. Murphy, T. Macklin, T. Heffernan.

LOCAL PERSONAL PICK-UPS

City Treasurer Busy: City Treasurer Jas. A. Fathers was busy today preparing his report to the county treasurer. He will hand in the report Monday and all those who have not paid their taxes by that time will have to settle with the county treasurer and pay the added penalty.

Strange Package: The United States Express Co. had a camel in their express car this morning on its way to Ringling Bros. at Harbore. The animal was shipped to them from Germany by Hagenback. The animal kicked its crate to pieces and was tied in one end of the car when it went through here.

Sale in Beloit: Manager Myers has arranged to have seats for future attractions on sale at Warner's book store in Beloit. By this arrangement the Beloit people can always be sure of securing good seats.

Young Men's Meeting: The men's meeting scheduled for Sunday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. building will be one of the most interesting of the year. J. A. Craig will be the leader and addresses will be made by Edward Reger and Dr. Richards. A special musical program has been prepared and will consist of both vocal and instrumental selections.

Three Actresses Insane.

Rome, March 14.—In one week three noted actresses, Signora Dina Galli, Signora Refter and Signora Galli, have lost their reason. M. Leigh, the best known Italian writer of comedy, is lying at the point of death with consumption.

NOTICE

The Gazette is willing and pleased to publish all notices of lodge or society meetings, but it is found necessary to make the rule that all such notices must be written and left at the office before 10 o'clock if they are to be published. In the future no notices except paid ones, will be received over the telephone.

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FUTURE EVENTS

Cottage prayer meetings this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Social democratic city convention at the city hall this evening.

Citizens' mass meeting called by the Municipal League for the purpose of nominating a citizens' ticket at the Myers Grand this evening.

"The Heart of Chicago" at the Myers Grand Monday evening.

Knight's class of the First M. E. church monthly meeting in the church parlors Monday evening.

Presbyterian Men's League meets in the church parlors on Tuesday evening.

County Temperance convention convenes at the Y. M. C. A. building on Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Trades Council dance at Assembly hall Tuesday evening.

A. O. H. entertainment at Myers Grand on Tuesday evening.

James and Warde in "The Tempest" at the Myers Grand on Wednesday evening.

LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT

America Lodge, No. 26, Daughters of Rebecca at East Side I. O. O. F. hall.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Talk to Lowell.

Attend the Federated Trades Council dance next Tuesday evening.

Special sale of American Beauties, Janesville Floral Co.

Wall paper at Lowell's.

Attend the Federated Trades Council dance next Tuesday evening.

All late styles. Bort, Bailey & Co. are showing an endless number of spring and summer cotton wash fabrics.

Johnny Smith and the rest of his good musicians will furnish the music for the Federated Trades Council dance on Tuesday evening.

Four hundred different styles of the prettiest and daintiest wash fabrics out this season.

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The ladies of the St. Johns Lutheran church will have one of their famous suppers on next Wednesday evening at the corner of North Main and North First street, Munger's old stand.

There are hundreds waiting to see you at the Federated Trades Council dance on Tuesday evening. Do not disappoint them.

Four hundred different styles of the prettiest and daintiest wash fabrics out this season.

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ADDITIONAL CHURCH NOTICES

Christ Church—Third Sunday in Lent. Celebration of the Holy Communion at 8:00 a. m. Morning prayer litany and penitential office, 10:30 a. m. Sermon topic: "The Proclamation concerning the coming of the Kingdom of Heaven." Sunday school 12 m. Evening prayer 5:00 p. m. Mission hymns and preaching at 7 p. m. Sermon topic: "Power and Light as Seen Through Calvary's Lenten Services. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 4:30 p. m. Wednesday and Friday at 7:30.

First M. E. Church—Corner of Jackson and Center streets.—W. W. Warner, pastor. Parsonage at 102 S. Academy street. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Morning service at 10:30 a. m. Subject: "Shall we lose an Opportunity." Sunday school 12 m. Junior League 3 p. m. Senior League at 6 p. m. Topic: "The Young Christian's Pleasures." Leader, Leslie Williams. Evening service at 7 p. m. A very interesting Lawrence Day Program will be given by the Epworth League. Consisting of selections by Epworth League orchestra. Reading by Miss Alice Clithero. Solo, by Mrs. Bagley. Short address on Life's Teachers by pastor.

TOBACCO SORTERS GO ON A STRIKE

One Hundred Hands in Brodhead Are Asking for Better Wages.

One hundred and twenty-five sorters in the employ of the American Tobacco Co. at Brodhead went on a strike yesterday. They have been receiving 80 cents a hundred for sorting and demanded \$1 per hundred. The company offered to compromise at 90 cents and as the strikers refused to accept it closed down the warehouse. It may not be opened again this season.

ALBERT LOEHE MAY BE INSANE

Judge Sale Is Requested to Have an Examination Ordered

Albert Loehle, the young man who was picked up by Officer Henke, on Thursday morning and locked up on account of his queer actions and afterwards released, is again in the lock-up. He was found yesterday at the Stout quarry partly undressed and throwing stones into a cave to kill some imaginary enemy. The police went after him and brought him back to the lock-up. Chief Hogan today made an application to Judge Sale to have him examined as to his sanity and if pronounced insane that he be sent to Mendota. The examination is being held this afternoon and there is little doubt but that he will be committed to Mendota. He appears harmless and said that these spells were brought on by overwork which affected his brain. Loehle is related to Mrs. F. S. Balnes and has only been in this country about a year. It is the opinion of some his troubles are carried by home sickness and that he will be all right after being at the asylum for a while.

LESS POLITICS. MORE BUSINESS

MASS MEETING AT OPERA HOUSE THIS EVENING.

INTERESTING TOPICS TO BE UP

Good Speakers Will Explain Situation—May Select Not-Partisan Ticket.

This evening at the Myers opera house every taxpayer in Janesville will have the opportunity to take part in the mass meeting of citizens which will select a non-partisan ticket for the coming spring election. It is an open meeting to which every one is invited and the audience should be composed of those men who are looking for the best interests of the municipality of Janesville and the choosing of the best and ablest men for the coming city officials.

Interesting Subject

The question of municipal government and the needs that are presented in Janesville are topics which interest every true citizen. At the meeting this evening these questions will be fully explained and such men as M. G. Jeffris, W. G. Wheeler, Geo. S. Parker, G. G. Sutherland, J. W. Sale, M. O. Mount, A. E. Matheson, Father McGlinchy, Rev. Koerner and Rev. Denison. Dr. J. W. St. John is to preside at the meeting.

Everyone Welcome

Aside from these speakers everyone will have a chance to air his views and state what he considers best for the welfare of the city and all are welcome. It is not a political meeting in so far as parties go, but a general mass meeting of the citizens of Janesville called by prominent democrats, the city committee of the republican party and the executive committee of the Municipal League.

An Opportunity

The meeting is an opportunity for every tax payer to thoroughly understand just what conditions exist and what ones should be changed for the better. All should turn out and be present. The speaking will begin at eight o'clock.

WILL TEST VALUE OF FERTILIZER

The Government Will Make Tests on Farms Near the City.

The government will conduct an experimental station, to determine the value of commercial fertilizer as compared with manure, near this city during the coming season. F. H. King of Washington, a representative of the experimental force has been in the city for the last few days and has leased two acres of land on the John Huginn farm, south of the city.

One acre of the land will be prepared with manure and the other with commercial fertilizer. It is the idea of the government to plant corn and potatoes on the leased ground, so that one-half acre of each will be raised with the different fertilizers.

The growth of the crops will be carefully watched during the summer and at the end of the season the government agents will report which kind of fertilizer produced the best results. The same test will be made in other counties and states so that the government can secure reliable information on the subject.

HOHENADEL WILL GO TO MONROE

Plan Factory There, But Not Until Next Year—To Build in the Fall.

Peter Hohenadel, Jr., has given assurance to the Monroe Business Men's association that it has been practically decided to erect a large cannery plant in that city this fall. Owing to the limited supply of seed corn the erection of such a plant this season is impossible. He stated that Monroe is considered a desirable location, especially since the co-operation of the two railroad companies.

In order to give the Monroe farmers a fore taste of raising vegetables for canning purposes the company has decided to contract for a limited amount of cucumbers this year, to be shipped to this city. About one hundred acres will be contracted for. The agent of the company will be at Monroe March 21, 22 and 24 to write contracts.

JUSTICE COURT CASES CALLED

Thomas Finnegan Defendant in Three in Three Cases in Justice Earle's Court.

Thomas Finnegan was defendant yesterday in three cases which were called in Justice Earle's court. Joseph F. Donnanhoe was garnishee defendant in each of the cases. The plaintiffs were the McCormick Harvesting Co., D. M. Burling and Lewis W. Nash, respectively. All of the cases were adjourned. The garnishee defendant filed an answer admitting liability, but stated that the property was not in such condition that it could be delivered into court.

Suit Opening

Our first suit opening will take place March 17th and 18th, next week Tuesday and Wednesday. The agent of the manufacturer from whom we get a large share of our suits will be with us prepared to take special orders made to one's measure. This will be an important event. One can have a suit made just as one wants it. We are now showing our spring line of suits, dress and walking skirts, silk, wool and mercerized shirt waists, wool sweaters and golf vests. Don't miss the opening. Satisfaction guaranteed.

J. M. BOSTWICK & SONS.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Mrs. F. A. Ranous of Fond du Lac is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Johnson.

Miss Louise Merrill arrived home from Madison last evening and will spend Sunday with her mother.

G. A. Buckstaff of Oshkosh was a business visitor to this city yesterday.

Attorney J. J. Cunningham had legal business in Madison yesterday.

J. W. Bates of Beloit was in the city today on legal business.

Assemblyman L. H. Parker of Beloit was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. James Roby of Detroit, Mich., is the guest of her brother, A. H. Sheldon.

J. H. Hyland, traffic manager of the St. Paul road and Grant Williams, district freight agent for the road, were in the city over night. Mr. Hyland's private car was side tracked near the passenger station.

Mrs. C. C. Crippen and son arrived in the city last night. John M. Crippen who succeeded C. P. McLean as agent for the American Express Co. in this city.

Walter Pratt Lewis, who plays the part of Deyanor Perkins in David Harum is an old friend of Don Farnsworth of the Hough Shade corporation. Mr. Lewis and Mr. Farnsworth had not met before in four years up to yesterday and then the meeting was unexpected.

ROMANCE ENDS IN A WEDDING

Miss Alice Smith, a Former Janesville Girl, Weds George Palmer.

Cards have just been received in this city announcing the marriage of Miss Alice Smith, daughter of Mrs. Alice Van Bita Smith of the Auditorium, to George E. Palmer of Kansas City.

The wedding took place on February 26, at Coronado Beach, Cal., where Mrs. Smith and her two charming daughters are spending the winter. It was the culmination of a romance which began last year at Hot Springs, Ark., where Mr. Palmer, who is one of the best known business men in the west first met Miss Smith.

The bride and her sister, Miss Jennette, are both handsome brunettes and exceedingly popular in Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Palmer will travel until June 1, when they will go to their summer home "Glen Eyrie," near Kansas City. In the fall they will go to Denver to reside.

KILLED TWO DOGS THIS MORNING

Fire Department Wagons Deal Death to Canines—Klein's Wagon Injured.

The fire department killed two dogs during the morning and Chief Klein's new outfit was put out of service and will have to go to the factory for repairs. The first one was killed on Oakland avenue and was a handsome collie belonging to Otto Krontitz. The dog had been in the habit of chasing the department wagon whenever there was a run in the neighborhood of Mr. Krontitz's home. This morning he was running up Oakland avenue, jumping at Peter Champion's team and was either struck by one of the horses or the front wheels of the heavy wagon and died without making a sound.

Second Dog

The second dog killed was a black and tan belonging to George McLean and was struck by the patrol wagon on Center avenue and run over. He was dead when he was picked up by the people who owned him.

Klein's Accident

The accident to Chief Klein's new buggy happened at the West Side engine house. William Conroy, Jack Aldrich and Tom Birmingham were in the buggy and as they started out of the engine house one of the doors swung partly shut and caught the front wheel of the wagon. The shock threw the firemen out of the buggy and Conroy who was driving was jerked over the dashboard onto the horse's back. Fortunately a bystander caught the horse and stopped him before he had a chance to wreck the wagon. The whiffletree was broken and the front axle sprung a little and some of the stay straps broken. The only injury done the harness was the breaking of the back straps. It will take a few days to repair the damage and in the meantime Chief Klein will have to depend on the hose wagons to get to the fires.

W. A. Pickett

Mr. W. A. Pickett, one of Rock county's pioneer settlers passed away at his residence, No. 2 Rager avenue at half past one this afternoon. He was taken sick this morning while at his grocery store on South Main street and taken to his home where he died shortly afterwards. He leaves a family composed of Mrs. Will Pember of Johnston and Miss Catherine Pickett of this city. Mr. Pickett has lived in Janesville for the past ten years coming to the city from Johnston.

Mrs. Elliott Collier

The funeral of the late Mrs. Elliott Collier was held this morning at 9:30 at St. Patrick's church, Rev. J. J. McGlinchy officiating. The interment was at Mount Olivet cemetery, the pall bearers being T. Murphy, Richard Murphy, James Erwin and Daniel Shook.

Important Event

J. M. Bostwick & Sons will have an important suit sale the 17th and 18th, Tuesday and Wednesday. Particular attention will be given to special orders made to one's measure. They have had great success with the manufacturer whose line of suits, waists, skirts and spring garments, will be represented. He understands suit building thoroughly. Many women are anxiously waiting for this sale—they know.

May Change His Mind, Eh?

A man about to be married should never take himself off into a corner, and ask himself Why.—Atchison Globe

DISCUSSION ON EVILS OF CITY

TEMPTATIONS THAT WILL ASSAIL A YOUNG MAN.

A GOOD PROGRAM PLANNED

Knight's Class of the First Methodist Church Plan a Novel Evening.

Temptations that assail the young men of this city will be discussed at the monthly meeting of the Knight's class of the First Methodist Episcopal church on Monday evening. Theory and generalization will have but little to do with the meeting. The subjects chosen for discussion, under the leadership of Leslie Williams, are stated definitely and are aimed directly at evils as they are believed to exist in Janesville.

Janesville Temptations

In its exact wording the subject of the meeting is, "A Man's Temptations in Janesville, and the Incentives Which Prompt Men to Wrong Doing." Charles Ward is the first of the speakers. His subject is the methods which the saloon keepers employ in tempting men. W. L. Rothert will follow with a general discussion of the gambling evil as it exists here.

Sunday Amusements

Pleasure seeking and theater going on the Sabbath day will be the theme on which Rev. W. W. Warner will speak to the members of the class. M. H. Whitaker will talk upon some of the incentives which are offered to lead men astray, and the means by which they may be removed.

The Ballot Box

Society attractions and social events, considered as temptations, will be the subject of Dr. F. T. Richards. The last topic assigned is to be handled by Charles Penny. It is the ballot box the proper weapon to use in the solution and overthrow of our many existing evils?

To Serve Supper

Those who are present are expected to take general part in discussion of the topic. The last gathering of the Knight's class was a notable success in that feature, comment being frequent and animated. As usual supper will be served at 6:45, preceding the discussion of the subject.

BRODHEAD

Brodhead, March 12.—S. L. Fisher spent last Friday in Janesville.

Dr. J. L. Fleck was in Monroe Monday on business.

Mr. S. Drake returned to her home in La Crosse Wednesday morning.

W. S. Fleck left on Monday morning on a business trip to Browtown.

Messrs. Jacob Marty of this city and John Urban of Monticello, left on Monday morning for New York city, where they will board the Philadelphia for an extended visit in Switzerland.

Mr. Link, bookkeeper for the American Cigar company spent Saturday and Sunday at his home in Madison.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cobb and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Niles combined business and pleasure last week in a trip to Chicago. While there they had the pleasure of hearing Francis Wilson in "Toradora."

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Terry left Tuesday morning for Chicago to spend a few days buying new spring and summer dry goods.

Mr. Arthur Cawley, of Madison, was the guest of George J. Bement's family over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Derreck, of New York city, are in the city to attend the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bowen.

Mrs. Taylor and Vera and Miss Flora Taylor left Tuesday afternoon for their home in Castor county, Mo. Mr. Taylor does not expect to go for a few days.

Mr. Jacob Bush left on Monday for Grand Rapids as a delegate to the district convention of the Modern Woodmen of the World. The district is composed of the states of Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan.

J. N. Davis, of Monroe, visited friends and relatives the first of the week.

J. G. Barber left on Monday morning for an extended visit at Elgin and Chicago.

Those from here who attended the Rock River Valley League contests at Milton Tuesday were Misses Robinson, Maude Green, Nellie Gardner, Lola Rowe, Clara and Mabel Richards, Bell Swan, Mrs. W. O. Green and Messrs. Stillwell Moore, Everett Hartman, Ned Dunwiddle, Roy Karmey, Robert Taylor and Dr. E. B. Owen.

Tobacco Sorters Strike

Tuesday afternoon the one hundred or more persons engaged in tobacco sorting for the American Cigar company, went on a strike. Their grievance was too small a wage scale. It is true that less was being paid here than in other places, but the managers assert that had the matter been laid before them, a strike might have been averted, and some concession granted. A representative from the company at Madison came down Wednesday night, and it has been decided to close the warehouses here, and ship the balance of the crop to Madison for handling. This means a severe loss to the employees, as well as to the citizens in general.

Died—Mrs. Sarah Ann Roberts died at her home in this city on March 4, 1903, aged 53 years, 7 months, and 20 days. Last week we chronicled the death of her husband and the serious illness of Mrs. Roberts who died on the same day issued. The funeral services were conducted at the home on Friday, March 6, by Rev. L. A. Holp. The song service was by the choir of the M. E. church.

MORE ACREAGE FOR BEET CROPS

A Total of Eight Hundred and Nine Acres Thus Far Secured.

Edward Stark, agent of the Wisconsin Sugar company was in the city last evening to make some inquiries about the local beet sugar situation. He says that contracts have been written up to the present time for between eight hundred and nine hundred acres. This total will be increased by further contracts which are to be let in the town of Lima, and near Clinton. The latter is a field which has not yet been entered, but it will be so convenient a shipping point in the event of the establishment of a factory in this city, that it is well to cultivate the industry in that locality to a certain extent this season.

NORTH HARMONY

North Harmony, March 12.—The Harmony W. C. T. U. will hold their annual meeting, March 19, with Mrs. Flora Rice. Meeting to be called at one p. m. All members are requested to be present.

The Senior L. T. L. meets at Mr. C. A. Rice's Saturday night.

Dave Gray is loading a car today to go to Kilbourn City, where he has purchased a farm. He expects to follow in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richardson are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy.

Wm. Crandall and George Sholes have been sick with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rice entertained Mr. and Mrs. Story, Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. Cleland and Mr. and Mrs. Summerbell, Wednesday.

Alfred Yates went to Little Creek, Mich., last week and purchased a new threshing outfit.

Mr. Parr has moved on the farm owned by the Appleton university at Six Corners.

TOWN OF JANESVILLE

Town of Janesville, March 12.—George Brown and wife visited with D. W. Little and family last Sunday.

Roscoe Korn, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Korn, has been quite sick.

Ed. Duthie and wife spent part of last week with John Little and family.

Charles Wilkie and wife were callers to the home of Charles Bennett Saturday.

Miss Margaret Little is the guest of relatives in the city.

John Passel delivered his tobacco in town Monday.

E. E. Burdick was out to the old home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Tall spent Wednesday with Mrs. Frank Welch.

Mrs. P. F. Magee is recovering from an attack of the la grippe.

The sale on the Kennedy farm called out a large crowd and the cattle, horses and machinery brought good prices.

John Hogan, Wm. Boos and H. C. Tall were out from the city to the Kennedy auction.

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News From County Towns.

AFTON
Afton, March 12.—Hass creek was on a rampage last Saturday afternoon and at one time it looked as though the mill dam would have to go, but prompt action on the part of J. A. Hoskins, proprietor of the mill, and timely assistance rendered him by others saved it from being carried out. The wagon road on the flat north of the new steel bridge was rendered impassable by reason of the rush of water and the moving ice and traffic south from Afton was suspended. The creek drains a large area of marsh land west and northwest of Afton and as a consequence its rise is very rapid and its destructive power is great during a spring freshet of after a heavy rainfall.

A Chicago & North-Western freight locomotive was thrown from the track and a box was badly splintered as the result of a collision which occurred in the railroad yards here last Friday night. A string of cars had been backed up on the main track in switching and left there while the engine went in on a siding for more cars. In some way the cars on the main track began moving again, and, unobserved in the darkness, ran down in the path of the engine as it was leaving the siding. Luckily no one was injured in the mix-up and a wrecking crew came down from Janesville to put things back in shape again.

A candidate for adoption into the Modern Woodmen of America will be given the "Fraternal Degree" at the regular meeting of Afton Camp No. 2192 to be held next Saturday evening.

The Afton Literary society held its regular fortnightly meeting at the home of U. G. Waite on Thursday evening of last week. The evening's program was devoted to a study of the life and writings of James Russell Lowell with Louis Uehling acting as leader. An excellent sketch of the poet's life was given by David Thorne and selections from his various works were read by Belle Antidel, Ethel E. Soper, Floyd Miller, Floyd Draflah, Jessie McCrea, C. D. Antidel, G. C. Antidel and U. G. Waite. The numbers given included a piano solo by Miss Soper, a vocal solo by Miss Belle Antidel and several songs by the society chorus. David Thorne read the news report and David Thorne submitted his report as critic for the evening. The society will hold one more meeting before closing the winter series at which a general program covering the season's work will be given. This meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. McCrea, on a date to be determined by the program committee.

A very pleasant party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Uehling last evening, the event being in the nature of a surprise for Master Otto and Miss Eda Uehling. About twenty of their young friends were present to participate in the evening's enjoyment.

Mr. Jones and wife of Johnston have moved to Afton and will occupy the Dick Brinkman house.

Miss Jessie McCrea spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Janesville.

Miss Hylah E. Eldredge is slowly improving, but is not able to sit up.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neff, of Greeley, Colorado, were the guests of Mrs. Nellie McCrea Sunday. Mrs. Neff was formerly Miss Mary Jackson and is known in this vicinity where she was born and grew to womanhood. She was called to Beloit by the sudden death of her mother, Mrs. Robert Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. Neff will visit with relatives in this section until Thursday when they expect to leave for their Colorado home.

Mrs. William Brinkman is visiting with relatives at Plattville and Lancaster.

A. H. Waite transacted business in Beloit Wednesday.

MILTON

Milton, March 12.—On Tuesday evening the Y. M. C. A. and Milton college basketball teams play at the college gym. There will also be a game between the college girls the same evening. As these events occur on St. Patrick's day the predominant colors will be orange and green.

Tonight at the S. D. B. church the Oratorio of the Creation will be rendered by the college chorus. It is the musical event of the year. Don't miss it.

Prof. A. R. Crandall, of Alfred, N. Y., university, has accepted the chair of Natural History in Milton college, the fact being made public by the president, at the meeting of the Board of Trustees held Wednesday evening. Dr. Crandall is an alumnus of the institution and well known to the friends of the college. He was for a number of years state geologist of Kentucky and a professor in the college at Lexington. In addition to his general scholarship, Dr. Crandall ranks very high in his specialty, geology, and the college is to be congratulated upon securing his services. His daughter, Miss Alberta, a graduate of the musical department of the college, who has recently finished a course in the Boston Conservatory of Music, has been secured by Musical Director Stillman as his assistant, and her sister, Miss Ellen, will also be connected with the musical department as a teacher of violin and other string instruments.

The hose company of the Milton fire department have come out with some neat badges.

Dr. M. L. Brown was in Chicago, Thursday, buying an outfit for the Milton Baseball association.

W. K. Davis and wife gave a reception Thursday evening for their cousins, the Misses Fenner, of New York.

E. E. Bond who has been in the east for nearly a year, returned Wednesday and will enter college again at the beginning of the spring term.

Wm. Powell transacted business at Fort Atkinson Tuesday.

Miss Josephine Bullis went to Whitewater Wednesday to spend a week with friends in that city.

Deacon E. O. Crandall is improving slowly and is now out of danger.

Henry Jennings has sold his creamery at Marshfield and will return to Milton.

P. B. Hurley and wife will go to California next month and it is hoped the climate will prove beneficial to Mrs. Hurley, who is in poor health.

County Treasurer Rice is confined to the house with an attack of the grip.

H. G. Maxson has moved his wagon shop into the gravel block.

J. H. Babcock, who has been quite ill, is now able to sit up.

Mrs. G. J. Boss and Miss Lettie Reynolds have been in Chicago this week.

MAGNOLIA

Magnolia, March 12.—Miss Ella Edwards of Janesville High school is spending a few days at home on account of illness.

The Ladies' Aid society met with and surprised Mrs. Walter Wolcott Thursday. A picnic dinner was served and they presented Mrs. Wolcott with a very pretty rocking chair, as a token of their regard for her.

Leslie, Lucinda and Verne McCoy were pleasantly surprised by their little friends Tuesday evening. The children had the use of the hall and had a genuine good time.

A goodly number of women folk took in the sale at Warren Andrew's last Tuesday, but they did not indulge in "bidding."

Mrs. Lettie Edwards spent Wednesday and Thursday at Mrs. Emma Cain's.

The Calvinville school closed Thursday.

A good deal of tobacco is being delivered this week.

Miss Bessie Townsend has been enjoying a few days' vacation from school duties at the seminary.

Mr. Andrew Cain has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Adria Cain is home for a few days with her mother, Mrs. Brown.

Mr. George Henry Howard and Arb Townsend have been delivering tobacco this week.

Mrs. Andrew, more commonly known as "Grandma Andrew," is sick at the present writing.

Miss Minnie Edwards has been entertaining the grip the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Granger of Janesville were visitors at Mr. Clyde McCoy's Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Grange held their second meeting in the Magnolia hall Thursday night with a goodly number of members in attendance.

Mr. Will Leo moved onto Grandma Townsend's farm Thursday. He will work the farm this year.

Mr. George Barr moved into the house by the Calvinville skimming factory, formerly occupied by Mr. Judkins, Wednesday.

Mr. Hyatt Weaver purchased a two-year-old colt at Warren Andrew's.

Miss Jessie Andrew who is working in a warehouse in Evansville spent Tuesday at home.

We all enjoy the robin's song.

Mrs. George Lettis is suffering with sore eyes.

MILTON JUNCTION

Milton Junction, March 11.—Mrs. Chas. Ogden died Tuesday after an illness of nearly a year. The funeral will be held from the house Thursday afternoon. She leaves a husband and six children. She was a member of the S. D. church.

Earl Coon, wife and son of Waupun visited his sister, Nettie Coon, of this place last Friday.

Earl Kelly and George Stockman will consolidate their stocks of goods, and have the south side of the "Kelly block" for groceries and the main store for dry goods.

Mr. Stockman will move out of the Butler store and leave all the room for the post office. The new firm will run a grocery wagon this season.

Mrs. O. G. Crandall has been quite sick the past week.

Rev. George J. Crandall has a son from West Hallowell, Ill., visiting him.

Will Oviatt, editor of the "Telephone" and Miss Ethel Bowie were married at Rockford last Saturday night.

Watson Noyes and wife returned from a several days' stay at Omro last week.

E. Morris Crandall and wife returned from Wood county this week to pack their goods preparatory to making their future home in that county.

Miss Nellie Perry of Hancock, Wis. is in town to enter high school to finish the course.

Mrs. Clinton Chamberlain was in Lima last week caring for the sick.

William Morgan is very seriously ill with a carbuncle on his neck.

Dea. Lester Rogers has been very ill, but is now recovering. His son, Dr. Rogers, of Milwaukee, was with him a few days.

Mrs. W. Leoborough and son returned to their home in Welton Ia. last week.

Fred Osborn is working for F. Hull and C. H. Osborn for E. Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rogers entertained a company of friends at their home in this village last Thursday night. There were parties from Oakland and Janesville present.

Mrs. Steffens of Albion has moved into Mr. Langworthy's house on Verne avenue.

UNION

Union, March 14.—Never since the oldest settler can remember, have we had such muddy roads. Four horses are required to pull any load at all.

Mr. Lynch has moved to Stoughton.

Mr. Tom Bowen has bought the Mrs. Bowe property on the corner. He expects to move in soon.

Mrs. Bowe is talking of going west with her son Hazelton and family of Michigan.

James Gillies has bought the Chas. Fairbank's estate.

Mr. Jay Ham has been very sick with the grip.

Miss Ethel Frost spent the first of the week with her parents.

E. L. Rosa and Leslie Davis took off hogs Tuesday.

St. Mark's Tomb Is Found.

Rome, March 14.—Excavations in the catacombs of St. Cecilia have revealed what is believed to be a large underground basilica that was used by the early Christians. Three tombs that were discovered are declared by local archaeologists to be those of St. Mark, St. Marcellinus and Pope Demianus.

Mrs. Albert Gibbs is quite sick again.

Mr. Smith is going to work for Mrs. McComb.

Mrs. Hostley is over keeping house for Lyman.

MISS MONIE BOWEY,

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DETROIT, MICHIGAN.

A couple of winters ago I slipped on a frozen sidewalk and fell flat on my back. On being examined I found that I had sustained internal injuries which laid me up for more than two months. After that I noticed that I had pains in the back and groin which I never had before. I doctored and doctored for several months but as the pains increased instead of growing better I decided that I was not having the right treatment. Reading in the papers of the wonderful cures performed by Wine of Cardui I wrote to one of the parties and received a very satisfactory reply and I immediately sent for some. In a very short time I felt generally better and after seven weeks faithful use I was once more well and strong. I have never had a sick hour since and I daily bless your splendid medicine.



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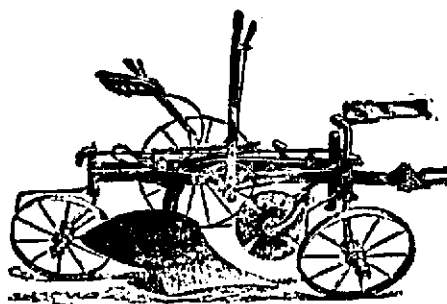
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The results are inevitable. Any germ disease must end when the cause is killed. Then the oxygen—Nature's greatest tonic—quickly brings the sick one back to the maximum of health.

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Any drug that kills germs is a poison to you, and it cannot be taken internally. Liquezone is the only way known to kill germs in the body. It is carried by the blood to every cell of every tissue, and no germ can live where it goes.

Yet Liquezone is simply liquidified oxygen—just the vital part of air. It is

not only harmless—just as harmless as breathing—but a tonic to you—the very source of vitality. Its effects are exhilarating—purifying. But germs are vegetables, and an excess of oxygen, while life to an animal, is deadly to vegetable matter. This fact seems a provision of Nature to protect man against germs.

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These are some of the known germ diseases. The cause of these troubles is germs, and germs only; and these germs must be killed before the trouble is cured.

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OUTLOOK IS FOR BRISK BUSINESS

ACTIVITY AMONG THE MINERS

Collections and Sales Among Retailers in the Anthracite Field are in Good Shape, Despite the Small Stocks Carried by the Dealers.

New York, March 14.—"Reports from all sections of the country promise a brisk spring and summer trade. Orders are coming forward on a large scale, and frequent requests for prompt shipment indicate that stocks are low and requirements urgent. The statement has been made repeatedly of late that traffic blockades were ended, but as a matter of fact, the relief was in every case of a local nature, and almost immediately followed by so much new business that congestion returned. At present the western shipments are fairly prompt, but freight is not coming East in a satisfactory manner. The foregoing is from the weekly trade review of R. G. Dun & Co. It continues:

Better Trade Among Mines.
"Heavy distribution of wages makes retail trade active and collections prompt in the anthracite region, yet dealers are carrying small stocks of merchandise as a rule. Activity in building lines is so great as to occasion frequent comment. Bad weather retarded retail business at some points and floods added to the disturbed condition of the cotton market.

Footwear and Leather.
"Eastern producers of footwear report new business in fall-shoes quiet as yet, but very heavy sample lots have been sold, and the outlook is satisfactory. Buyers are still reluctant to say the small advance in quotations. Leather is more quiet, but stocks do not accumulate, owing to old orders. Chicago hides have again fallen an average of about a quarter, although alfalins are stronger and foreign dry hides are scarce and firm at former figures.

Raw Material Is Erratic.
"An erratic market for the raw material, together with unfavorable weather, brings a decrease in sales of cotton goods. Quotations are fully maintained, nevertheless, especially a forward deliveries. Only a fair demand is reported for men's wear, woollens and worsteds, and in some instances sellers reported more cancellations than new business. Buyers are extremely conservative, and frequently substitute new lines that have recently opened at slightly better prices. Removal of the embargo in Massachusetts resulted in very heavy shipments of wool, and prices are fairly steady.

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WILL LEAD WESTERN MISSIONS

Rev. W. L. Tenny Elected by Methodists to Office in Chicago.

New York, March 14.—The American Missionary association announced the election of Rev. W. L. Tenny of North Adams, Mass., as district secretary of the western district of the association, with headquarters at Chicago. Mr. Tenny is a graduate of Oberlin and Harvard and has held pastorates in Ohio, Michigan and Massachusetts.

Miguel's Surrender Is Refused.
Manila, March 14.—General San Miguel, the ladrone leader, who, it was charged, was ambitious of starting another insurrection, offered to surrender with his band. Gen. Allen refused to accept his surrender and would give him no conditions.

No More Big Vessels.
London, March 14.—The International Mercantile Marine Company has decided not to build any more big vessels like the Cedric and Celtic, until improved port facilities enable the company to exercise greater economy in the vessels.

TODAY'S CHICAGO MARKET

From the Madden, Redee Co., 204 Jackson Block, Janesville.

C. L. Cutler Re-ident Manager.				
	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
WHEAT—				
May.....	74 1/2	75	74 1/2	74 1/2
July.....	71 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
Sept.....	71 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
RYE—				
May.....	47 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/2	47 1/2
July.....	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
BARLEY—				
May.....	35 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
July.....	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
OATS—				
May.....	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
July.....	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
BUD—				
May.....	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
July.....	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2